# Alaska Local and Regional Information Workforce Info

## **Delta Junction**

Delta Junction is an incorporated second class city located at the convergence of the Richardson and Alaska Highways, approximately 95 miles southeast of Fairbanks. Delta Junction is part of the Southeast Fairbanks Census Area.

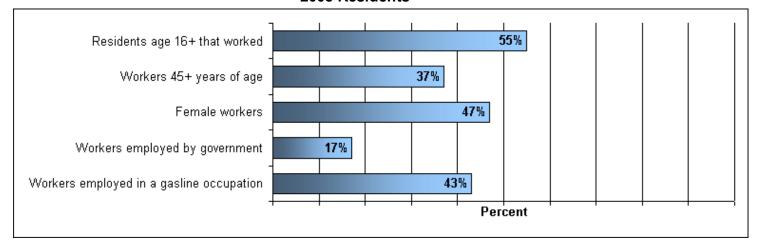
- The estimated population for 2008 was 1,058, a gain of about 173 since the 2000 Census.
- ♦ About 55 percent of the resident population 16+ years old worked in 2008.
- ◆ Professional and Business Services was the main industry in 2008, employing 27 percent of the area's workers.
- ♦ More workers were employed as Transportation Workers, All Other than any other occupation.

Please note: There is an important distinction between the local/regional employment data and our "standard" employment series. Most of these data reflect totals for area residents only. Total worker counts may be lower than expected in areas with a large number of nonresident workers. The Alaska Permanent Fund dividend file is used to determine the worker's geographic residence. Only Alaska residents (as defined by PFD application) are included in these totals. Also note that federal employees, the military, and the self-employed are not included in these data.

	Delta Junction Resid	dent Snapshot (2008)		
Working Age Residents		Wages		
Residents age 16+	948	Total wages	\$17,861,264	
Resident Worker Characteristics		Resident Workers by Sector		
Total	525	Private	438	
Male	275	State government	12	
Female	245	Local government	75	
Age 45+	193	Quarterly Number of Resident Workers		
Age 50+	139	Peak (2nd) quarter workers	456	
		Percent working all 4 quarters	63.8%	
Unemployment		Construction/AGIA Occupa	tion Experience (2004-2008)	
UI Claimants	83	Some construction	158	
		At least 1 year construction	101	
New Hires		At least 2 years construction	47	
New hires	189	Worked in an AGIA occupation	429	

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### 2008 Residents

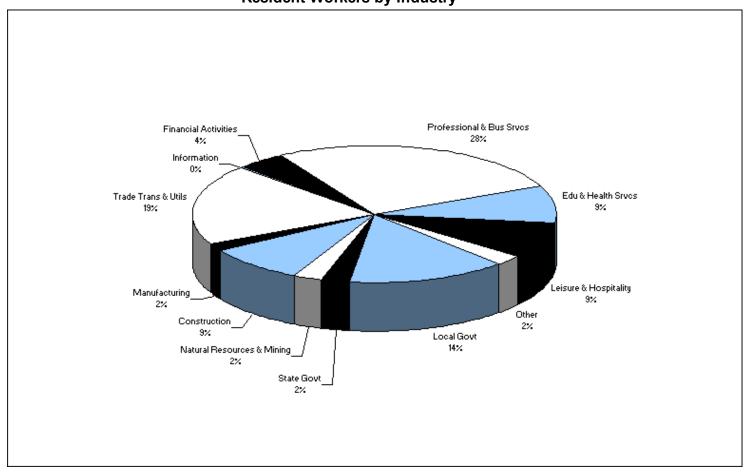


#### **Top Occupations**

	Number			
	employed	Percent female	Age 45+	Age 50+
Transportation Workers, All Other	34	27.3%	12	9
Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners AGIA	22	77.3%	4	2
Cashiers	16	81.2%	3	2
First-Line Supervisors/Managers of Construction Trades and Extraction Workers AGIA HOT JOB	16	12.5%	8	4
Healthcare Support Workers, All Other	15	84.6%	5	3
Construction Laborers AGIA HOT JOB	14	7.1%	4	3
Office Clerks, General AGIA	13	100.0%	8	6
Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners AGIA	13	30.8%	6	4
Truck Drivers, Heavy and Tractor-Trailer AGIA HOT JOB	11	9.1%	4	3
Teachers and Instructors, All Other	10	100.0%	5	4
Secondary School Teachers, Except Special and Vocational Education	10	30.0%	2	1
Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks AGIA HOT  JOB	9	77.8%	3	2
Teacher Assistants	9	77.8%	4	2
Bus Drivers, School	9	33.3%	5	5
Retail Salespersons	9	88.9%	4	4
Food Preparation Workers AGIA	9	66.7%	1	0
Security Guards AGIA	9	33.3%	3	3
Elementary School Teachers, Except Special Education HOT JOB	8	75.0%	2	1
Receptionists and Information Clerks AGIA	8	100.0%	1	0
Executive Secretaries and Administrative Assistants AGIA HOT JOB	8	75.0%	3	2

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## **Resident Workers by Industry**



### Workers by Industry

	Number		A 451	A 50 i
	empioyea	Percent female	Age 45+	Age 50+
Natural Resources and Mining	13	38.5%	5	2
Construction	47	6.4%	20	12
Manufacturing	9	11.1%	0	0
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	100	49.5%	42	35
Information	*	*	*	*
Financial Activities	22	47.6%	7	6
Professional and Business Services	141	41.4%	50	36
Educational and Health Services	45	76.7%	18	11
Leisure and Hospitality	46	58.7%	9	7
State Government	12	50.0%	7	6
Local Government	75	60.0%	31	20
Other	13	61.5%	4	4
Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0

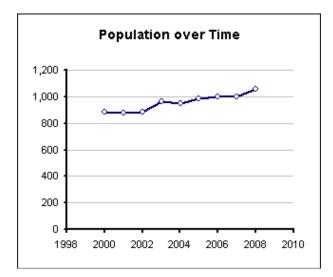
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Recent Unemployment Statistics				
	09/2009	10/2009	11/2009	12/2009
UI Claimants**	93	134	153	194

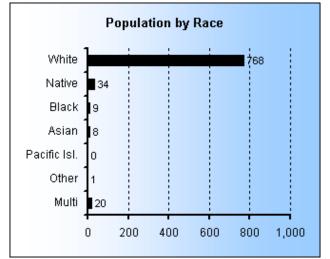
<sup>\*\*</sup>UI claimants are individuals in this area who had an active claim at any time during the month.

#### **Top Employers** (ranked by number of workers)

Delta/Greely School District
Chugach/Alutiiq Jv
Boeing Service Company
Family Medical Center
IGA Food Cache LLC
Laidlaw Transit Inc
McDonnell Douglas Corporation
Bechtel Construction Company
State of AK (excludes U of A)
Alaska Home Care Inc
Delta Junction City of
Kaya Associates Inc



2000 Census		
Median Age	36	
Average Family Size	3.3	
Average Household Size	2.7	
Per Capita Income	\$19,171	
Median Family Income	\$58,250	
Median Household Income	\$43,500	



(Note: Racial classification is based on self identification. The "Multi" category consists of those who claim to be members of more than one race. The "Native" category includes Alaska Natives and American Indians.)

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